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Eight Hours Between Montreal and Toronto—Sir George Stephen's Return.

Sunday Trains Discontinued—Fallen Into Her Old Ways—Married.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Montreal, April 25.—The C. P. R. is going to put on trains to do the distance between Montreal and Toronto in eight hours, and are having special trains built for service.

SIR GEORGE STEPHEN.

Sir George and Lady Stephen returned from Europe. Sir George says immigration will not be so heavy this year as formerly.

BANK OF MONTREAL.

The Directors of the Bank of Montreal declared to-day a dividend of five per cent. The profits of the year were satisfactory but the bonus is withheld. On the streets a bonus of one per cent. was looked for and disappointment was expressed.

DISCONTINUING SUNDAY TRAINS.

Manager Hickson of the Grand Trunk has ordered no trains except perishable fruit to be run on Sundays hereafter.

THREE BROTHERS CONVICTED.

Belleville, April 25.—Albert, George and Herman Lloyd, three brothers, have been convicted of raping Annie Denton, Albert's sister-in-law.

A WILD STORM.

Port Arthur, April 25.—A wild storm has raged all last night and to-day accompanied by rain, sleet and snow and a heavy sea is running. The Athabasca was obliged to return here.

THE METIS LEADER.

Winnipeg, April 25.—Gabriel Dumont arrived here to-night *en route* to Montana.

May 2nd has been proclaimed Arbor Day in Manitoba.

NEW WESTMINSTER BUDGET.

Marriage of Well Known Parties—Hard to Reform.

Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, April 25.—A young woman named Jessie Rivers, who was taken out of a house of ill-repute some time since by ladies of this city, and to all appearance reformed, was arrested last night on a charge of stealing jewelry and clothing from the family of Mr. Townley, with whom she had been living of late. The case came up in the police court this morning, but was remanded till to-morrow.

Walter Moore and Garret Moore, charged with uttering spurious bank notes, are held in the sum of $300 each to appear at the spring assizes.

Marion D., the eldest daughter of Mr. H. L. DeBeck, manager of the Brunette sawmills, was married this morning to Alex., second son of Alderman Thomas Cunningham, Rev. Mr. White officiating. The bride is the popular organist of the Methodist church in this city, and is well known in Victoria. Mr. Cunningham is one of Westminster's most promising young merchants.

THE VANCOUVER SCANDAL.

Continuation of the Case in the Police Court.

Vancouver, April 25.—No case has been before the courts of British Columbia which has created greater interest and excitement in this part of the province. This of course is due to the prominence of the parties interested and to the gravity of the offence. James Hogg, the prosecutor, is a photographer. The evidence of Mrs. Hogg given in the police court, stripped of its objectionable details was as follows: Mrs. Hogg was sworn, and examined by Mr. Hamersley. Being asked if she knew Sullivan, she burst out furiously, "Yes, I know that scoundrel to my sorrow, that darkey, that nigger. Why do you let him go?" She was asked to restrain her feelings, and with the exception of now and again slightly breaking down and weeping or challenging Dr. Langis to deny her statements, she told her story very plainly. Her story is here given very much as she gave it to the court:

I became intimate Sullivan last summer during the boating season, about August. On the 15th October we first had improper intimacy. About the 25th of the following month, November, I had a conversation with Mr. Sullivan. I met him going into the tabernacle. I said I feared the result of our relations would cause trouble. He went down to Nelson's drug store and got two packages of medicine. He gave me them in the presence of the choir, and gave some candies to the other members. I took this medicine without result. I spoke several times to him about it, and on December 10th he told me to go and see Dr. Langis, that he had been talking to the doctor. I went. I saw the doctor and said I had come to have the operation performed. He said he was sorry, and only did it to help me out of my trouble. (I am sorry for Dr. Langis, but not for that nigger.) The doctor said he would order a bottle of medicine, and said I could have it at 8 o'clock that evening. On going home I met Sullivan in front of the Y. M. C. A., and he said he would see the doctor, and would get the medicine for me. I went to Sullivan's "hull" in the evening and met him. He went to the doctor's and brought the medicine. I took it and went home. I took the label off the bottle as Dr. Langis' name was on it and I destroyed it as I was told to do. I took the medicine without results. I saw Sullivan again and told him the medicine had no effect. He said he would see the doctor. He told me I was to see the doctor as near the 15th of January as possible. I went between the 10th and 15th and the doctor performed an operation. (Dr. Langis, you can't look me square in the face and deny that.) I met Sullivan constantly during this time till I got through with my trouble. He made arrangements for me to meet the doctor about the 12th of February. I went and Sullivan made arrangements to meet me. I had been there about five minutes when Sullivan came in. The doctor performed an operation. I saw him again on the 5th of March. I remember that date distinctly. He used instruments. As a result on the 7th of March Dr. Langis attended me. A child was born prematurely. I fell down the steps one dark evening a month before this, about 1st of February, and in order to cover up my sin and I imputed the premature birth to the fall although it had nothing to do with it.

This ended Mr. Hamersley's examination.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Blake the following father evidence was given by Mrs. Hogg:

"The only trouble before the one between me and my husband were over my step-children. He was not jealous until I met Sullivan. My husband is older by about 20 years than I am. I sang in the choir and Mr. Sullivan was the organist. It was probably in July of last year I joined the choir. During August we were a little more friendly than married people should be. My husband did not object till he saw Sullivan so constantly with me. It was about November that he objected. My husband gave as a reason that we were getting too intimate for married people, and that the public would be talking. He said nothing else that I remember. He spoke at different times and always made the same objections. Sullivan was at our house once a week in the afternoons. He gave as an excuse for coming that he wanted to practice on our piano not having one himself. My husband objected also on the score on Sullivan's color. On the 15th of October, when we were holding practice in the Y. M. C. A. rooms in preparation for Mr. Moody's meetings, I went to the rooms about 7:30 with Earnest Robson. I met Sullivan at the door. He said he had been up to the Y. M. C. A. rooms and there were no ladies there. He asked me to go down to his house with him. When we got as far as Cordova street he persuaded me to go up to his hall. He said he had some books he wanted to take to the Y. M. C. A. rooms. I went with him to the hall and went in.

During the proceedings the following letter was read:

VANCOUVER CITY, 12th April, 1889.

To the Rev. Mr. Robson, Pastor of the Methodist District Church of the City of Vancouver:

DEAR SIR,—I hereby charge my wife, Amanda Hogg, with the undermentioned unchristian language and actions, all of which are inconsistent with the teachings of Christ and at variance with the word of God and the discipline of the Methodist Church.

1st: I charge her with the most brutal and cruel conduct towards myself and two of my children.

2nd. I charge her with using the most obscene, disgusting and filthy language, all of which is an abomination in the sight of God, and said foul language she uses very frequently and without any provocation whatever.

3rd. I charge her with blaspheming against the God of heaven and taking His holy name in vain.

4th. I charge her with inconstancy and with breaking her marriage vows, and in allowing one Arthur Sullivan to draw her affections away from myself and securing them for himself, and I have every reason to believe that there has been an unholy criminal intimacy and connection existing between them for some time past, and said intimacy has been the cause of the breaking up of my home, the scattering of my family and the separation of myself and wife, the leaving of my four-year-old baby boy without a mother, and the blighting of my brightest earthly hopes.

And I hereby charge Arthur Sullivan as being the cause of all the trouble mentioned in clause or paragraph four.

And I hereby request you at your earliest convenience to have said charges that are above mentioned against Amanda Hogg and Arthur Sullivan investigated and examined into before the proper church tribunal. Yours truly,

JAMES HOGG.

COMOX NEWS.

An elderly man named named Chas. Paine, was brought down on the Isabel, and will be taken to the Nanaimo hospital.

Preparations are being made for a grand celebration at Comox on the 24th of May. Over $200 in prizes will be offered. The sports include a baseball match in the morning between the Comox and the Union Mine clubs, and in the afternoon racing, rowing, jumping, and aquatic sports. A prize of $10 will be given to the prettiest baby and a prize of $20 to the handsomest lady, and for the latter contest, needless to remark, the fair damsels of Comox will turn out *en masse*, not so much to win the money prize, but to have the honor of being considered the handsomest lady in the settlement. The sports will be held in the Sand Pit at Comox and steamers will run at regular intervals. The whole affair will wind up with a grand ball and supper in the evening at the new Knights of Pythias Hall. The committee who have the affair in charge are: Messrs. J. Bruce, D. Muschamp and M. E. Millett.

Mr. Cheney, the well known auctioneer, has been "doing" Comox and the country north with good success. From him we learn that numerous logging camps are being started up in the vicinity of Comox and beyond, and logs are being rolled in at a great rate. In King & Casey's camp they are cutting about 40,000 feet per day.

Work at the Union Mines is still going forward briskly and it is expected that they will shortly commence shipments to San Francisco.—*Free Press.*

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

NOTED ATHLETES ARRIVE.

E. W. Johnson, the famous Canadian athlete of Newmarket, (near Toronto), arrived in the city last evening. He is accompanied by Messrs. Bates and Corbeck, also well-known athletes of Ontario. They will remain in the city a day or two and then leave for San Francisco, returning for the 24th of May celebration if any inducements are held out. In connection with their arrival it is learned that the following challenge appeared in the Toronto *Empire*:

To the Sporting Editor of THE EMPIRE.

SIR,—In your paper of March 9th there appears an acceptance of a challenge which I issued to D. C. Rose in behalf of an unknown, a resident of Victoria. Your Lindsay unknown stated that he was willing to make a match on five weights, and to prove his good faith his friends had deposited five hundred dollars in the Bank of Montreal of Lindsay. I find on wiring the bank that the parties have not put any money in the bank's hands as a forfeit. Now, I would like to say through your valuable paper, that I am not looking for newspaper weight-putters, but mean just what I say. I will match an unknown, a resident of Victoria, at five weights for $1000 or $2500, give or take $100 for expenses. In proof of this, and to show that I mean just what I say, I have deposited $500 in the Bank of British Columbia at Victoria. This challenge is open to any man. First come first served, but they must come with money and not wind.

Yours, etc.,

W. G. STEVENSON.

Pritchard House,
Victoria, B. C., March 19, 1889.

A party is here now ready to accept this challenge, information as to where the man and money are to be found, to be obtained on application to THE TIMES office. The friends of the new arrivals are very anxious to make a match, either in the weight-putting line or running or jumping.

AQUATIC.

Two young men of Nanaimo named W. Biggs and M. Duffy were the principals in a boat race yesterday afternoon. The distance was one mile, stakes, "honor and glory." Biggs won easily.

LACROSSE.

An effort is being made to organize a club in New Westminster, which is likely to be successful. They have White, one of Victoria's defence in last year's games, and he is a whole team himself.

PUGILISTIC.

Prof. Foster and Murray, of Vancouver, have been in town for the past few days. Clem Austin arrived from Seattle last night accompanied by Ward, an all-round slugger of the country.

To Sportsmen.

For base ball, cricket, lacrosse, lawn tennis, bicycle, running and athletic shoes, go to H. Mansell's, next to Van Volkenburgh's. Spalding's genuine steel base ball plates, cricket spikes and patent spurs and spar boxes always on hand. *2w

The coroner's jury, in the case of Calvin T. Lewis, the San Francisco centenarian, who shot Jno. Harrington, a ward politician, on Monday afternoon, has rendered a verdict that the shooting was done under strong provocation.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Labouchere's Cable Letter—Two Million and a Quarter for Rudolph's Debts.

Boulanger in London—Movements of Royalty—Royal Yacht Cup.

By Postal Telegraph.]

New York, April 25.—Henry Labouchere's London cable to the *World*: The Queen has given the Duchess of Cambridge's residence at Kew to the Duke of Cambridge for life. The Queen intends to erect a monument to the Duchess of Cambridge in the nave of St. George's chapel, Windsor. A window is to be filled with stained glass as an additional memorial of her.

Prof. Von Angel, of Vienna, has nearly finished full length portraits of the German Emperor and Empress, which are intended as presents to the Queen. They are to be hung in private apartments at Windsor.

The Shah is to stay at Buckingham Palace as a guest of the Queen during his visit to London. The Shah, who, according to present arrangements, will arrive in London on June 17th, is desirous of witnessing some first-class horse races. It is therefore probable he will be present at Ascott on cup day.

The Empress Eugenie is going to Wiesbaden this week for a course of massage treatment. She will stay there for month. The Empress of Austria has also taken a villa there and will undergo a course of Dr. Metzger's treatment.

The most valuable portion of the library of Mr. Halliwell Phillips was bequeathed to his nephew, Mr. Baker, of Weston, who intends to sell it next July. It contains exceedingly rare works, including a perfect copy printed in 1600 of the original edition of "Much Ado About Nothing," as it has been sundry times publicly acted by the Right Hon. Lord Chamberlain, his servants, written by William Shakespeare." The last copy of this work which came into market fetched £267.

The Empress Frederick is settled at Hamburg until the beginning of June, when she will proceed to Potsdam for two weeks, after which she is coming to England to stay to the end of August. The Empress will go to Athens about the end of September, to attend the wedding of her third daughter, Princess Sophia, with the Crown Prince of Greece.

PRINCE RUDOLPH'S DEBTS.

Vienna, April 25.—Emperor Francis has paid all the debts of the late Crown Prince, which amounted to two and a quarter million dollars.

BOULANGER INTERVIEWED.

London, April 25.—In an interview today at the Hotel Bristol, Boulanger said he had no thought of issuing a manifesto at present to his followers in France. It is his intention to remain in London for the present. Scores of bouquets of flowers have been sent to him from Paris, from admirers, and already he has received numerous invitations to dinner parties and receptions in London from would-be lionizers.

BEET ROOT SUGAR.

London, April 25.—German beet root sugar continues to be affected by the general rise. It opened this morning 22s. 10½d. buyers, and 23s. 4½d. sellers, and has advanced to 23s. 4½d. and 24s. 10½d.

LIONIZING BOULANGER.

London, April 25.—Among his many admirers here Gen. Boulanger is being made something of a lion. Innumerable bouquets have been sent on from Paris. Invitations to Socialist elements of various kinds here are coming in in great numbers and callers at his hotel are many. The general said to-day in an interview that he did not intend to issue any manifesto to his followers for the present and that he expected to remain quietly for some time in London.

ROYAL YACHT CUP.

A cup to be competed for on June 17th by the Royal Cork Yacht Club has been given to the club by the Queen. A large number of yachts have been entered for the contests and it is is expected the Valkyre will be among the competitors.

THE GAS.

Sydney, N.S.W., April 24.—Searle, the oarsman, has deposited a forfeit for matches with Teemer and O'Connor, for the championship of the world.

REV. PRINCIPAL GRANT.

He Speaks in Favor of the Federation of the Empire.

Rev. Principal Grant, of Queen's College, Kingston, lectured in that city on the 16th inst. on "A United Empire." He discussed these points:

(1) Is Canada, as a portion of the British Empire, in a condition of stable political equilibrium or not? He thought not. It was not sure of its foundations. It was doubtful as to its future. Canada is to day in an ante-bellum state. It discusses secession under the name of independence, and that means that it no longer wants British citizenship. Some of its people go further and suggest national suicide. When people so talk of something was wrong and something is required. It is required now. The young men will make Canada a nation. They came from too good a stock to have the brand of political inferiority stamped upon their brows.

(2) If Canada is not as stable as every State in the United States, or as every well ordered country is, what is the reason? He held that the colonial condition is one of necessarily imperfect development. Canada has been growing, and only now has reached that state when its people begin to think of full citizenship. Hitherto it would have been premature to consider the subject of external relations. And it was on this point he differed from the Hon. Edward Blake. That gentleman in 1874 pleaded for the unity of the British Empire, but in 1888 he had written that the subject he had presented had been so coldly received, that what was difficult then was impracticable now. This view the Principal combatted. He held that the difficulties were fewer now than in 1874. The whole trend of events had lessened the difficulties. It had difficulties now, but he claimed the help of Mr. Blake and others, who had spoken from principle, to help make it practicable. He was not afraid of the impracticable now. Political manhood was the aim, and, if the people willed it, the scheme could be developed. Complete equality by union with Great Britain could be secured.

(3) What is the cure for our political ailment? Full citizenship. Secession or independence would lead to self destruction. Could Canada live within herself? Can Canada defend herself? The answer showed that secession was utterly, totally and forever impracticable; and would Canada be so dishonest now as to seek secession after all that had been given her? Never. There would be no evolution in such action. It would be revolution and destruction. The price to be paid for Imperial Federation would be too great, some said. Would not secession be as costly? What would full citizenship involve? That there should be political understanding between every part of the Empire, making all parts share alike. Peace, war and treaties would not be made without our consent. The amount and cost of a full fleet would be determined by a fair and full understanding. Commercial Union with Great Britain would be a boon to every farmer and every Canadian. The Americans are anxious for Commercial Union, so that they may discriminate against the Mother Country, a step which, on the part of Canadians, would be dishonorable. (Applause). Canada, the West Indies and Australia should at once cultivate closer relations with Great Britain and unite on a trade policy. Instead of 5,000,000 competing against 60,000,000, it would be 320,000,000 against 60,000,000. The Principal honored the man who made sacrifices for the sake of his country. He had been offered three times the salary enjoyed in Canada and refused it, rather than cease to be a Canadian.

AGASSIZ'S AGONY.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I noticed in the weekly issue of your paper of March 29th, a letter from Mr. L. A. Agassiz over the signature of W. E. Walker. Mr. Agassiz must not imagine for a moment that he can blind any of those residing in the settlement except one or two individuals. Now, with regard to that road meeting. He says he knew nothing about it, and asked for information of several of his neighbors and they were equally as ignorant. Well, all I have to say in this, Mr. Agassiz is to the railway station as often as any man in the settlement, and I know there was a public notice posted in the most conspicuous place for over a week before the meeting took place, but none so blind as those who won't see. I think it is very ungentlemanly and unfair of Agassiz to put the responsibility of his letter on W. E. Walker, but then it just stands this way with Walker and Agassiz, when Agassiz has any job to do in reference to any of his neighbors in the settlement he finds a ready tool in Walker and then claims that he knows nothing about it. Mr. Agassiz says Mr. McDonald wants a road through his mother's improved property, just to satisfy a petty grudge he appears to hold against the Agassizes. Now, from the purport of Agassiz' letter, I should say that Agassiz bore the grudge against McDonald, and I think any person of judgment that ever read his letter can bear me out in what I say. Well, as to the road that Mr. Sproat had built for Mr. McDonald's special benefit, instead of being something less than a mile it is one mile and three quarters, whereas the road that McDonald must have a grudge against Agassiz to ask for is only three quarters of a mile at the outside and both to the same point, viz, Agassiz Station, C. P. R. Now, Mr. McDonald denies that this short road goes through Agassiz's property in a slanting direction, but goes through parallel with the old survey. Mr. McDonald admits that the shoe pinches every time he has to go to the station and that is very often, as it is his depot, post office, store and hotel. Now, Mr. Agassiz thinks it utterly ridiculous for any one to think of asking for a road through their property, but he did not think so at the time he forced a road through the farm my father now owns, formerly belonging to Mr. John Walker, and he was not satisfied with forty feet, the regulation width of roads in the settlement, but must make this particular road sixty-six feet wide, a road leading from the steamboat landing through the whole length of McDonald's place, and when striking the line between the two places must follow the line around Agassiz for one mile and three-quarters instead of going direct three-quarters of a mile, and because McDonald has the check to ask with a good many others, both on this side and the opposite side of the river, to have this road extended to the station, he must have a grudge against Agassiz. I might just state right here that Mr. Agassiz, in his own settlement, has no influence and I might almost say no friends, and I will verify my statement by mentioning the fact that he was a self-constituted aspirant for politic honors in the last election for New Westminster district, and in his own settlement out of twenty-three or twenty five votes polled he only received one outside of his town. In reference to myself trying to get hold of a piece of land along McDonald's special road claimed by Mr. William Walker, junior, I admit the fact, but did not know at the time that Walker was claiming it. As soon as I became aware of his claim I gave up all pretentions to it. But Agassiz should have told about his own jumping and how Walker hunted high and low for a man that had courage to jump the same claim on Agassiz. I have taken for granted in this letter that Mr. L. A. Agassiz is the author of the letter of the letter of the twenty-ninth of March in your paper and not W. E. Walker. I do not mention this to Walker's discredit, but Mr. Walker, as is well known is not qualified to write even such a letter as that which Mr. Agassiz produced.

J. A. MCDONALD.

Agassiz, April 6, 1889.

[NOTE.—We have condensed without injuring the above letter. Correspondents on subjects of purely local interest must aim at brevity.—ED.]

TELEGRAPH TICKS.

News of the World Condensed Into Pithy Paragraphs.

The National Reform Association in session at Pittsburg adopted a resolution requesting President Harrison to mention Christ in State papers, especially in Thanksgiving proclamation.

The manufactured goods exported from Canada to Australia from 1st July, 1888, to 1st January last were valued at $45,530.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company will shortly inaugurate a fortnightly instead of the present monthly steamship service with Japan. A director of the company is authority for the statement that the new steamers for the Japan route will be built before the last Atlantic and Australian services are inaugurated.

The Minister of Customs said that the Government had received representations from the Imperial authorities respecting the seizure of the United States ship Bridgewater at Shelburne, N. S., two years ago. The owner, Capt. Allen, asked for compensation to the extent of $20,303.

Among the railway subsidies brought down last night, there is a grant to the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway of $3,200 per mile for 51 miles, a total of $163,200. This subsidy was promised a year ago, but has never been voted.

The Premier said the application of the Victoria, Saanich and Westminster Railway for $6,4000 per mile and $30,000 annually for twenty years for maintenance of ferry, came too late, and could not be made until next year.

John Healey, a San Francisco longshoreman, cut his throat from ear to ear with the broken blade of a pocket knife. Despondency brought on by sickness was the cause.

A report is current that Sanford, 140 miles south of Jacksonville, Fla., had a sudden death on Tuesday, supposed to be from yellow fever.

—*A Sure Basis of Popularity.*—Merit, apparent to a "cloud of witnesses," upon which the popularity of *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* is founded. Throat and lung complaints, pain, soreness, stiffness, swellings, burns and ailments of various other kinds, yield to the action of this speedy and safe remedy. [*

AMERICAN DISPATCHES

Latest Advices from Japan—The Last San Francisco Murderer's Work.

Commissioners Depart for Berlin—A Respectable Thief—Rancher Killed.

By Postal Telegraph.]

San Francisco, April 25.—George Wilson, a pugilist, shot and killed John Whalen, a barber and ex-convict, 27 years of age, early this morning. The men quarrelled over the possession of a pistol. Wilson, who has been arrested, claims Whalen struck him several times with a loaded cane, and he killed him in self-defence.

THE ELDER SAILS.

The steamer Geo. W. Elder, which has been thoroughly overhauled, sailed on her first voyage this morning. Going first to Puget Sound and then to Alaska.

FROM JAPAN.

The steamer City of Rio Janeiro arrived arrived from Hongkong this morning, bringing the following advices: Foreign Ministers and their first secretaries were entertained at a banquet in Peking, in connection with the marriage of the Emperor. Speeches were delivered by Prince Ching and the German and American Ministers, in which assurances of friendly relations were reciprocated.

Japan will send a representative to Washington to be present at the International Marine Conference in August.

A disease resembling typhus fever has broken out in Yokohama. There have been 60 cases, 40 fatal.

A RANCHER KILLED.

Stockton, Cala., April 25—David Powell, a rancher, 50 years of age, was thrown from his wagon yesterday and killed.

BONDS SOLD.

Winnipeg, April 25—Information has been received in this city that the Northern Railway Company have succeeded in disposing of a large block of Manitoba & Northern Pacific Railway bonds.

TWO MEN KILLED.

Homer, Mich., April 25.—Jas. Conner and Jas. Harris were killed this morning near here by a premature explosion of dynamite while blasting stumps.

CHAMPION POOL PLAYER DEAD.

New York, April 25.—Albert M. Frey, champion pool player, died of pleuro-pneumonia to-day. He was 28 years old.

THE CORONET RETURNS.

New York, April 25.—R. F. Bucklo schooner yacht Coronet, in which the owner left New York for a tour of the world about a year ago and for whose safety some fears were entertained, arrived home this morning.

DEPARTED FOR BERLIN.

New York, April 25.—Kasson, Bates and Phelps, American Commissioners to the Samoan Conference, departed for Berlin to-day.

BAIL REDUCED.

New York, April 25.—Recorder Smith to-day reduced bail to $1,500 in the case of Miss Olive Freund, one of the alleged electric sugar frauds. Prisoner, who filed an affidavit claiming illness, prayed for a reduction of bail which was $22,500.

OBITUARY.

Washington, April 25.—Ex-Congressman E. John Ellis, of Louisiana, died suddenly at noon to-day.

New York, April 25.—A man named McGuire, familiarly known as "Toppy," one of the oldest sporting reporters on the metropolitan press, died at his house in Harlem last night. He was 75 years of age. The cause of his death was a carbuncle, which first appeared a year ago on the top of his spine, and notwithstanding an operation it developed till it covered the entire space between the shoulders. For twenty years he was sporting reporter for the New York *Sun*, and in that capacity acquired a reputation as an honest critic and a man of strict impartiality. He was born at sea, August 8, 1814. He began life as a laborer and progressed steadily until he became an employer of 500 boys. He was at one time employed by the Irish comedian, Barney Williams. His customers included such distinguished statesmen as Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay and Daniel Webster. At one time he was proprietor of a famous road house which was the favorite resort of Commodore Vanderbilt and Robert Bonner. He was one of the backers of Tom Hyer in his famous fight with "Yankee" Sullivan. As a gatherer of sporting news he was without a rival. He contributed to the *Sportsman*, *Clipper* and *Mercury*.

POLITICAL.

Albany, N. Y., April 25.—On motion of Green, a vote by which the New York-New Jersey bridge bill was lost, was reconsidered, 74 to 28, and the bill passed without debate. Yeas, 70; nays, 40.

A FLYER.

Queenstown, April 24.—The steamship City of Paris arrived this morning from New York. The time of passage was six days, four hours and forty-two minutes, the second best time on record.

WIRE RULING.

Washington, April 24.—The treasury department has decided that bicycles can be imported into Canada and returned free of duty provided American visitors there claim them as personal effects.

CALIFORNIA WINES.

New York, April 25—It was announced to-day that the long continued effort to bring California wine-growers together had at last taken definite shape, and details of wine growers and handlers will soon be given out. J. P. J. Porter, representing the Vinicultural Commission of the State of California at the Paris exhibition, took steps before his departure to perfect the organization for a combination of both vineyard and wine interest of the State of California. He has the support of large capitalists and assurance of additional co-operation from France.

A LADY SHOPLIFTER.

Chicago, April 25.—Mrs. Josephine Kirkham, sister of Gen. Drake, of Des Moines, the founder of Drake's University, and wife of the Rev Kirkham who is editor of the *Christian Oracle* and pastor of the first Christian church was arraigned in the police court this morning for shop-lifting. The proprietor of the store declares he caught her in the act. The hearing was postponed.

The Field of Agincourt.

For nearly a week the bodies were left uncared for. At last the companion of the Count of Charlevois, eldest son of the Duke of Burgundy, was moved by the deplorable spectacle. By his orders the number of 5,800, were interred in three trenches, 12 feet wide, dug within a measured square of 25 yards, which was surrounded by a thorn hedge strong enough to keep out wolves and wild dogs. The enclosure still remains, a small wooded clump among the rich corn-fields of the upland of Agincourt. Within it stands a pillar erected some few years ago by the lord of the neighboring manor, the Marquis of Transcourt, himself a descendant of one who fought at the battle, and had the good fortune to escape with both life and liberty.—*Life of Henry the Fifth.*

The Daily Times.

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MR. MARA'S ADVOCATE.

The News, which has bitterly opposed every movement of progress in which the city of Vancouver was not to benefit largely, flies to the rescue of Mr. MARA and his colleagues in the matter of steamers calling at Victoria. We could expect no less than this. Vancouver in her desire for commercial supremacy would sacrifice the interests of other cities, and Mr. MARA and his brother BENEDICT ARNOLDS, if they have not found a very trenchant advocate, at least have the satisfaction of knowing that he is a long-winded one. The question is one between the Dominion and Imperial authorities, is it? If such is the case, of what use are parliaments? Why are parliaments asked for on expression of opinion in the matter? But the excuse for not stopping at Victoria is puerile. The delay to the mails! How much delay would there be? Two hours; not more, if there would be so much time consumed, and who shall say that British interests shall suffer in consequence. Mr. MARA has not struck the nail on the head from his point of view. He looks at the matter from the Dominion Government's point of view, and that opportunity being in the interests of Vancouver, he is a veritable DANIEL come to judgment. If there were dificulties of navigation in the way, if Victoria lay off the course of the Japan-Australian steamers, the question of touching at Victoria would not admit of argument. No such reasons can be alleged. It is simply a question of a few minutes delay in the matter of the mails. Victoria must bow to the inevitable, but the time is coming when this Province will be represented at Ottawa by men who posses the political independence to stand up for the rights of the people they represent, irrespective of intrigues, cabals, and political quackery.

RACES AND RELIGIONS.

Now that Canadians have agreed on a basis of government, the next question for solution is the assimilation of the several nationalities which constitute the body politic. At first thought this seems an easy task, or rather no task at all, congruity of sentiment apparently being the natural sequence of institutions in which there are no invidious distinctions in regard to race or color. Just the reverse seems to be the case, however. Coincident with the growth of free institutions other forces have been at work, which from being mere incidentals in the operations of government have grown to be entities permeating the entire political fabric. The most troublesome of these forces, or at least the one which threatens to be a cause of ceaseless discord, is the religio-political force. This force for the last half century has constantly been gathering strength. From exercising the spiritual function it has gradually passed to politics, adding bitterness to public questions by the stirring up of religious prejudices. The two distinct church bodies, instead of uniting in a common cause in matters of morals and education, have posed each as the only true exemplars of God's word, and in their unseemly strife have sown the seeds of dissension. On the merits of these two religious forces it would be immaterial to pronounce. Both have their good points and their bad points. Neither are tolerant of each other and the primary object of both is eventual domination. Both, unquestionably, are sincere; both imagine they hold they keys of heaven and hell, and each demand of their followers intellectual as well as moral fealty. With such elements as these in the body politic, repellant of each other and tramping the Golden Rule in the mire of their respective prejudices, political concord is out of the question, and it extends in fact to all of the social relations. In the United States, since 1860, church matters have whetted the edge of politics. The rush of business has contributed to neutralize the asperities of churchcraft to a degree, but insufficiently to prevent the lines from being strictly defined, and from their respective standpoints of belief both organizations glower at each other. The assimilation of races has been checked not by race but by church prejudices. In Canada the some unnatural conditions are now prevailing. Two nationalities, comprising physical and mental excellencies such as the world has seldom seen, and which should have coalesced into a compact nationality years ago, are still as unassimilative as fire and water. What has kept these people apart? Not race prejudice, surely. Church craft? It is patent that this is an abnormal condition of affairs, and farther that it is wholly incompatible with a representative form of government. That it is nothing more nor less than a blending of church and state. Experience has shown that these conditions cannot be blended, and we have contemporaneous testimony to the effect that instead of promoting social cohesiveness it operates conversely. The situation in Canada over the Jesuits Estate Bill exceeds in point of intensity the feeling which existed between the North and South in 1860, and from the nature of the controversy must prove inimical to Canadian progress. It is a matter which politicians cannot settle, and it remains to be seen now what the clergy will do in the matter, whether they will whet prejudice or whether they will endeavor to allay the warring elements, and take their places in the body politic as the true exemplars of the meek and lowly Savior.

A new invention to prevent collisions at sea, consisting of a small plate fixed at the side of the vessel, has been very successfully tried on the Thames. Electricity is the active agent. The approach of another vessel within two miles causes a bell to round and an indicating arrow shows the direction whence it comes.

THE "AWKWARD POSITION."

The province is indebted to Mr. Louis H. DAVIES, M. P., for having interested himself in its behalf. It is a hopeful sign of the future that a gentleman of Mr. DAVIES standing and ability in the Dominion is taking this interest. It may be said that his motion in the Commons requiring the China steamers to call at Victoria was merely a clever stroke of policy, but that has nothing to do with the question. The fact remains that the motion was one which should have been made by our own members and because it was moved by the clever Liberal leader, from the little isle of the east, on behalf of the isle of the west, does not detract from it's importance to us. There was no necessity for Mr. MARA or anyone else being put in an "awkward position," by it provided he was willing to do his duty to the province. The only danger of an "awkward position" was to the member who was playing the part of a political charlatan, a self-seeking party man. If it had no other effect, the resolution at least put Mr. MARA on record as saying (and he was evidently selected as the spokesman of the British Columbia contingent) "that the arrangement should not be jeopardized by any such conditions," as those requiring the steamers to call at Victoria. This was Mr. MARA's opinion. Unless it was concurred in by the other members the wrong impression which it conveyed should have been nailed there and then by them. The time, the place, the subject were favorable. Why did they not speak? Were they doing their duty to their constituents to allow the impression to prevail that the conditions would "jeopardise the arrangement?" We think not. What would be the effect of a statement of this kind in the House of Commons coming from a British Columbia member, in the presence of his colleagues and uncontradicted by them? Mr. DAVIES and the supporters of his motion would simply be silenced. The House was unfamiliar with the question, and all the evidence they had was to the effect that the conditions asked for were unreasonable and had not the support of the British Columbia people. We are truly in a sad plight. We have learned a good deal about Sir John and his party since last election and have changed in our opinions, but our representatives seem to learn nothing and are as hide-bound Tories as ever.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

One explanation of the derivation of "chestnut" is that it is a corruption of "jest not." Another is that the original phrase was "old chestnut" and that the word "old" was worn off by much usage. The former explanation is the more ingenious and the lstter the more likely to be correct. An old chestnut, being musty, dusty, mouldy, shrivelled, and often wormy, is about as delightful as an exhausted joke.

Mr. Parnell is determined to make the London Times pay heavily for the slanderous statements which it has disseminated concerning him and the great cause which he is leading on to victory. He has instituted a suit against the paper in $500,000 damages for the injury done to him by the publication of the forged letters. As Mr. Parnell bases his case exclusively on the latter, and as moreover he has again placed himself in the hands of the eloquent counsellors who have so ably conducted his defense before the Royal Commission, there seems to be a fair prospect that the shareholders in the Forged Thunder sheet will once more be forced to go without their annual dividend.

A contemporary says that the News-Advertiser will likely be sued for heavy damages because the Vancouver scandal case is supposed to have been prejudged in an item referring to it. The contemporary publishing this information was evidently "scooped" on the item, but that need not prevent the publishers of the paper from being dragged before the courts and ruinous damages exacted. Let the good work go on. In the case of the newspaper malice is presupposed anyhow, while a prosecution will never be asked whether it is malicious or not. This province presents a splendid field for the enterprising instigator of libel suits, at least till such a time as the publishers go into the great squeezing machine to have the last drop of blood squeezed out of them or till our intelligent (?) law-makers become more intelligent.

George Francis Train, the papers tell us, has taken a notion to starve himself to death. Only that Train is one of the most innocuous individuals alive, we could almost wish that his insane fancy might be allowed to take its course. As, however, he is not responsible for the vagaries of his upper story, the humanities must interpose and insist on his partaking of nourishment in sufficient quantities to keep the fires of life burning. Train belongs to the erratic fraternity which gave birth to "woman's rights," but he never possessed the ability to discuss the subject, nor any subject for that matter ten consecutive minutes. Train always was a crank of the superlative degree, and in common with his kind must finally disappear from the world's arena, a mental wreck. Twenty odd years ago the character of his mental lucubrations foreshadowed the dethronement of his reason. His is the fate which awaits all cranks. The entertaining feature of his career is that he was not responsible for the peculiar character of his mental make up.

The Toronto Globe is informed by telegraph from Victoria that our sealers "are naturally very much disinclined to submit to the outrageous American pretention of exclusive sovereignty over waters some seven hundred miles at the mouth, and they propose to protect themselves if piratically assailed by American vessels in prosecuting the sealing industry." The concluding statement is not correct. None of the Victoria sealers have armed themselves, and there is not the slightest intention on the part of any of them to use the guns with which they are all supplied, for any other purpose than killing seals. Our contemporary is of opinion that our sealers would be entirely within their rights if they resist seizure by force. Unquestionably they would, but would it be expedient for them to do so? If, however, the question is not speedily settled, and if more seizures and sales of Victoria schooners are to be made by the Americans without even eliciting a protest from the Imperial Government, there will be such a practical demonstration of the "right" of our vessels to navigate and fish on the high seas. But we learn, on reliable authority, that one of the men-of-war now on this station will cruise in Behring Sea this summer for the purpose of protecting the sealers. If this precaution is taken, it is very probable no seizures will be made this season.

THE CHINA STEAMERS—NECESSITY FOR PUBLIC ACTION.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—It is a question in my mind if our local government is doing anything to bring about the calling of the China steamers at Victoria. With only Mr. Prior at Ottawa and Mr. E. Crow Baker, our senior member, sulking at home, it seems doubtful if our request will be heeded by the Dominion Government. How long will the people of Victoria District remain silent and be treated with the silent contempt which Mr. Baker is meting out to them? Our interests are being sacrificed by Mr. Baker, and it is time some steps were taken for a public meeting to be called and he be asked to resign, as evidently he has too long forgotten his duty to his constituents, and has shamefully abandoned his promises and his duties to the electors of this district. As I have said, I doubt whether the local government are doing anything to strengthen our hands at Ottawa. With Mr. Dunsmuir now gone, the premier incapacitated from duty, and the Finance Minister just returned from a three thousand mile trip, the affairs of the province are practically in the hands of Messrs. Robson and Vernon, two heavy investors in Vancouver real estate. Such being the case we cannot expect them to do much for Victoria and her interests. With this condition of affairs what are we going to do, and where are we likely to land?

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NOTICE.

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G. L. MILNE,
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April 2, 1889. ad-1m

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CHAS. KENT,
Victoria, March 20, 1889. Collector

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

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JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PREVOST.

Dated, Victoria, February 15th, 1889. m16.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after this date the provisions of Section 5, of the By-law No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:

"No person shall suffer his Horse, Ass, Mule, Cow, Cattle, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Goose or Dog (except a dog registered as hereinafter mentioned) to run at large within the limits of the city." By order

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Hall, March 22nd, 1889. C. M. C.

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CHAPTER XVIII.

"YOU WON'T TELL HIM!"

"To what," asked Tommy Earle, with icy formality and politeness, "do I owe the honor of this visit?" For the space of quite a minute Beautiful Jim stood still and stared blankly at him, as if he had not understood the meaning of his words. At last, however, he pulled himself together, and spoke. "What on earth do you mean?" he asked.

"Exactly what I say," returned Tommy Earle, curtly.

Most men would have grown furious under such an attack from a lad of Tommy's years and regimental standing; but Beautiful Jim, just freed from the shadow of a violent and ignominious death, with the weight of his best friend's cruel murder still pressing upon him, did not lose his temper in the least—on the contrary, he became calm and still.

"Tommy," he began; when Tommy interrupted him passionately.

"Earle, if you please, sir," he cried.

"Mister Earle," said Jim, with a half smile, and strong emphasis on the word, "tell me plainly what you mean by this extraordinary behavior."

"The inference is obvious," said Tommy coldly.

"Yes, "in an inquiring tone—then, finding that the lad did not speak, went on—"and I am to infer—what?" but even as the question passed his lips the pale light broke in upon him, and he grasped Tommy by the arm with a grip that made him wince and shrink.

"My God, do you mean to say that you believe I murdered him?" he cried.

Tommy turned away his head and tried to force his arm from the grip of the other's strong fingers.

"Answer me!" thundered Jim.

"Let go my arm and go out of my room, if you please, Mr. Beresford," returned the lad.

But Jim stood still and stared straight into the lad's handsome eyes, as if he would force out of them the plain words which apparently Tommy's tongue refused to speak; and as they stood so an awful thought flashed into Beautiful Jim's bewildered mind—a confused recollection of something gone by, something like a dream, and yet, oh! what was it? What was it? A memory crowded over by the mist of intense drowsiness; and yet, if he could only grasp it, a memory that had something so utterly real and vivid about it that it would show the whole truth to the light at once. But what was it?

Ay, what was it? and what was there in young Earle's eyes which gave him the clew he sought? I know not, and assuredly Beautiful Jim, to the end of his days, would never know it either; but during those terrible moments of doubt and anguish the mists were suddenly lifted off his mind, and he remembered—remembered the dream he had had that night, a dream of Owen, his dear old friend, being in anger with him, and the momentous words, "Consider yourself under close arrest. Go to your room at once and I will send for your sword." In an instant everything was perfectly clear to him, and he gripped young Tommy's arms closer and faster than ever.

"You—young—hound!" he exclaimed, between his set teeth, "I suppose you mean to come your 'last of the Earles' rot over me in this instance. The last of the Earles, and a pretty ending for the Earles—to be snuffed out by the hangman's rope."

Young Tommy's white face turned to a sickly yellow, and Jim felt a tremor run through him.

"What do you mean, sir!" he cried, trying to pass it off with a high hand and succeeding very badly.

"I mean that you—you murdered Owen, and I know it—you dastardly young hound; and you tried to fasten it on me—you scoundrel!" and forthwith Beautiful Jim set to work and shook the lad, much as a terrier shakes a rat and with as little mercy, until in fact the teeth seemed to rattle in his head, and his very knees seemed to knock together. Then, with a last burst of fury, he flung him from him into the big chair, where he lay gasping and livid, more like a limp rag than a smart young officer—to say nothing at all of his being the last of the Earles.

But even then he did not altogether give in. "You shall answer for this!" he panted.

"Answer for it!" echoed Jim, with mighty scorn. "Yes, by the heavens above us, I will answer for it. I will answer you, you damnable, cowardly hound. I say you murdered Owen, murdered him in cold blood—you struck him from behind. I have the most convincing proofs against you. I have only to disclose the subject of Owen's conversation with me that afternoon, and to show the ring that he insisted on having from that woman, to put the rope round your neck without a chance of escape."

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"Ring!" gasped Tommy, in a different tone. "What ring? What woman?"

"What ring? What woman?" Jim repeated, in disgust. "Do you come that humbug over me still? Then, Mister Earle, I will enlighten you. I mean the sapphire and diamond ring, engraved with your family crest and motto, which you gave as a pledge of affection to that sharp nosed little huzzy at the Duck's Tail! Ah!—you know what ring I mean, do you?" as a groan of utter and abject despair burst from the lad's lips.

Jim went on without mercy. "Now, I see it all—all. You went to see that woman on your way back to barracks from Blackhampton, and she—like the double faced, designing little jade she is—told you Owen had been there, that he had seen the ring on her hand and insisted on her giving it up. Then you came back and bided your time, and after Owen left my room, you followed him to his. And then, you came your 'last of the Earles' air with him and demanded your ring, and Owen refused to give it to you until he had communicated with your father"——

"He did not," broke in Tommy, eagerly.

"Ah! those were not the precise words, I dare say," said Jim, carelessly, "but I can give you the precise words which were the last the dear old chap ever spoke—they were these: 'Consider yourself under close arrest. Go to your room at once and I will send for your sword!' and then," said Beautiful Jim, speaking very slowly and distinctly, "you went—back—and killed him!"

The lad had been lying helplessly back in the big chair staring at Jim with a fascination piteous to behold, but as the last words fell upon his ears, he sprung up, trembling in every limb.

"I never meant to do it—never—I swear it. I had no thought of harming him; it was done in blind rage; it was, indeed."

"H'm. Was it blind rage which prompted you to try to palm off your dastardly cowardice upon me?" Jim demanded, contemptuously. "Was that blind rage?"

"I have been mad ever since," replied the lad abjectly. 'God above only knows how and what I have suffered. I have not known what I've been doing. I haven't indeed."

"Ah! there's been a good deal of method in your madness, though," returned Jim in disgust.

"But, Beresford—Jim"—Tommy began, when the other interrupted him sharply:

"Jim to my friends only—Beresford to my equals," he said, curtly. "To you, now and for always, Mr. Beresford, if you please."

The miserable lad made no reply, but he hid his face upon his arms, shivering and shrinking away from the blaze of his comrade's righteous indignation. What a contrast they made the two; the one so straight and strong and honest, the other so wretched, so pitiable, a miserable, guilty thing, driven up in a corner, without even strength to stand at bay.

At last he looked up. "What are you going to do?" he asked, hoarsely.

"Do?" Jim repeated. "Why, what should I do but tell the colonel the whole truth at once?"

Young Tommy shuddered and buried his face in his arms once more. "They will hang me," he moaned.

"And a good thing, too," returned Jim, coolly. "The sooner the better, before you have time to do any more mischief. And one thing is very certain, which is that you'll thoroughly deserve it."

"No, no," Tommy cried, "my family, my father. Oh! no, no, Beresford, don't hang me; for the sake of my name, don't."

"And what the devil has your name to do with it?" Jim returned, roughly. "Did the fact that you are the last of the Earles keep you from compromising yourself with a little slut that you knew your father would have died rather than receive as his daughter? Did being the last of the Earles keep your hand from murder? Did it keep you from trying to fasten the blame of that murder upon an innocent man? No; don't talk to me about your family. Show me something your family has done for you before you expect that claim to have any weight with me. No, 'pon my soul, when a long and honorable name comes to an end with such an infernal young scoundrel as you are, the sooner it is blotted out altogether the better."

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the word was really more than the thing. "I had no such thought in my mind. I hadn't, Beresford, upon my honor."

"Your—what?" asked Jim, in genuine amazement.

The lad turned scarlet. "You think I haven't any honor," he said bitterly. "Well, I suppose I've forfeited any right to that forever. Any way, you may believe me or not, as you like, but I'll tell the whole truth. I had no thought or intention of harming Owen in the least, but I was furious at his interference in a matter which did not in the least concern him, and Owen was frightfully sarcastic and bitter about the whole affair. If he had spoken to me reasonably and told me I was a young ass I should have seen the justice of what he said. But he didn't—he jibed and jeered at me; taunted me with my youth, my family, my general idiocy; and I couldn't get back my ring. No; he meant to keep the ring until he saw my father, and he swore that nothing should induce him to keep quiet about it. I had disgraced my name, he said, and myself, and the regiment, and everything and everybody connected with me, and my father should know about it at once. And, of course, I was frightfully angry about it, for it isn't pleasant to have one's doings canvassed over to one's father, and I dare say I did answer pretty cavalierly—in fact, I believe I told him to go to the devil. Any way, he put me under arrest, and—and—and then I went back and clinked that dumb bell at him; but, Beresford, upon my soul, as sure as I am alive this moment, I had no thought of doing him a serious injury, let alone of taking his life; I had not, indeed. I was just blind with rage. I didn't know what I was doing."

"You were not blind with rage when I came in here to-night," said Beautiful Jim, who was not in the smallest degree moved by the lad's story, though he implicitly believed every word of it.

"I was worse than that, I was desperate," Tommy answered, humbly. "I—don't"— and then all at once he gave way entirely and broke down into violent weeping.

And Beautiful Jim stood looking at him, at the convulsively shaking shoulders and the fair, lovely head, so like hers—the one who did not count, but the one who was all the world to him. It was with an awful shock he realized that the news must reach her sooner or later; that, young scoundrel as he was, he was her brother, and if disgrace touched him it would of necessity touch her also.

Quick as thought his mind put into ideas all that would happen—he saw the almost certain death of the frail old man, bearing his good old name with honor to the last, but crushed completely beneath the shame and degradation of his son's end; he saw Nancy, with her pure, noble mind, and her sweet dove's eyes left alone, quite alone—for he knew that even for justice tender Nancy would never forget that his hand been the hand to bring him to punishment. "And, oh! God—forgive me—Owen, dear old friend, forgive me," his heart cried within him. "I cannot be the one to break her heart—I cannot do it."

But was this a choice? Scarcely! His heart and soul were wrapped up in Nancy Earle. She was the one woman that the world held for him. No, there was no choice about the matter. The vision of Nancy decided the question, and the wretched, sobbing, craven hearted lad in the big chair was safe, or, if not actually safe, he was safe, at least, from Beautiful Jim's vengeance.

Having once come to a decision, Jim was not the man to let the grass grow under his feet. There was much to be done, for if Tommy was to be shielded he must be shielded effectually. "Here, stop that howling, you miserable young cur," he said, breaking the silence at last, and speaking in a sharp, authoritative tone. He had any amount of the tenderest and most touching pity for Nancy; but for the boy, none. He would let him, for his sister's sake, go scot free, but he was troubled by no sickly sentimentality about the lad's abject terror and expressions of sorrow. "Quite right if the young devil does feel it," he told himself as he watched Tommy's efforts to regain composure. "I hope he'll go on feeling the same way for the rest of his life. I sincerely hope it."

"Come! What good do you think that will do?" he demanded, roughly. "I'm not going to expose you, though I tell you candidly, if there was no one but yourself to think of, I should have called for the colonel long before this. But there are others to think of besides yourself; there's your family—no, I don't mean the family pedigree that you are so fond of bragging about, but your old father, and the sister who has had to play second fiddle to you all her life—the Earle that doesn't count. Just you remember, will you, that it's for her sake I do this service, not in the very smallest degree for your own."

By an immense effort Tommy pulled himself together and looked up at Jim. And Jim thought that a more pitiable object than the lad's white and haggard face, with its wild and staring eyes, he had never seen. He strode to the door and turned the key in the lock.

"Look here, youngster," he said, sharply; "this sort of thing won't do! If the truth has to be kept between you and me you must manage to pull yourself together and hide your feelings a bit better. The best thing for you to do is to get a stiff glass of brandy and tumble into bed at once. And then the sooner you get out of Walmsbury the better."

"But I can't get out of Walmsbury," Tommy exclaimed, fretfully.

"You get to bed, as I tell you," returned Jim. "I'll manage that—I'll speak to the colonel about it."

"But you won't tell him, Beresford"

"Tell him what?" contemptuously. "Get to bed and stop there. Foster is impressed with the fact that you are seedy, and you had better keep it up—it will simplify matters. Besides, you cannot go to the funeral to-morrow—I couldn't quite stand that." He turned to leave the room then, and Tommy followed him a step or so with an eager expression of gratitude on his lips. Beautiful Jim, however, promptly cut that proceeding very short.

"Look here," he said. "You had better understand clearly from the beginning that I am not doing this in any way for you. If there was no one but you to think of, I would very cheerfully see you hanged to-morrow. You richly deserve it. But there happen to be others to be thought of, and I think of them—it's lucky for you that it is so, perhaps, though being such a thorough paced young scoundrel as you are, I don't know whether hanging would not be the best thing that could happen to you." With these words Beautiful Jim went out of the room, and, as the night was yet young, down into the anteroom again.

As for Tommy, he sat down before the fire again and thought it all over; but his first thought was: "I always did dislike that fellow—I hate him now."

(To be continued.)

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A BY-LAW

To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law the line, "City Carpenter $85.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of March, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 27th day of March, A. D. 1889.

JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
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Victoria, B. C., 25th January 1889.

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Victoria, B. C., 15th February 1889.

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New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladysmith's Landing and Lulu Island Sunday at 8 o'clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leaves New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 11:00 o'clock. Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Frazer River Route.

Steamer leaves New Westminster for Hope and way Landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

Northern Route.

SS. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

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Leave Seattle	3.45 p. m.
Arrive Tacoma	5 p. m.

TO VICTORIA, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Tacoma	7 a. m.
Arrive Seattle	8.15 a. m.
Leave Seattle	9.45 a. m.
Arrive Port Townsend	1.15 p. m.
Leave Port Townsend	2 p. m.
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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice cream at Stelts's. *

—Ice Cream and ice for sale at Poodle Dog. *

—Mrs. Samson, the business and test medium, is in Calgary.

—A sitting of the County Court will take place next Thursday.

—An effort is being made to form a volunteer corps in Nanaimo.

—The Olympian will leave for the Sound at 7 o'clock this evening.

—Several American tourists arrived in the city last night and are the Driard.

—A mass meeting of working men will be held at Vancouver on Saturday evening.

—Fishermen on the Fraser have been earning $5 to $10 per day for the past week.

—The bark Nanaimo, 65 days from Melbourne, arrived in Royal Roads last night.

—Six tenders have been received for the construction of the Bonilla Point telegraph line.

—The last Masquerade of the season will be given by Prof. Oliver on Monday night, the 29th. *

Warden McBride of the B. C. penitentiary will erect a residence to cost $14,000 in the Royal City.

—The sealing schooner Allie J. Alger arrived at Port Townsend on Tuesday with 613 seal skins.

—Chicken or garden fencing, four feet 18 cents per yard, at McLENNAN & McFEELY'S, 16 Fort St. *2w

—Take advantage of the fine weather and have the baby's photo taken. Go to Hall & Lowe's and get the best. *

—The ship Riveradale from Acapulco arrived last night with the captain ill. She will load coal at Nanaimo.

—A number of cornices were stolen from an unfinished building on Yates street a few nights ago. Loss $7.

—151 words per minute without an error has been written with the Remington Typewriter. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—The old verandahs in front of J. A. T. Caton & Co. and Clarke & Pearson's stores were torn down this morning.

—A meeting of the Island Wanderers Cycling Club will be held in the office of the Hamilton Powder Co. this evening.

—The estate of the late eccentric Capt. Chas. E. S. Mecdonald, who recently died in San Francisco, approximates $200,000.

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co. carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—The time for receiving tenders for the new Methodist Church in Nanaimo has been extended to Thursday, May 2nd proximo.

—The little American steamer Brick arrived from San Juan at ten this morning with a cargo of staves and bolts for J. Wrigleworth.

—If your "pianos" want tuning, you can get satisfaction by applying to Mr. Frank Bourne, the practical tuner, 24, Kane street, City. *

—It will repay you to visit Waitt's Music Store and see the Knabe Pianos, and the other well known instruments which they have in stock. *

—Mr. John Brerton has been elected to the Vancouver Council by acclamation to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Lefevre.

—New Westminster has fixed the rate of taxation for the present year at one per cent. with a reduction of one-quarter for prompt payment.

—The Odd Fellows of the city will celebrate the 17th anniversary of the order with a banquet at the Clarence, on Friday evening, the 26th inst.

—Five hundred and forty cases of canned goods and twenty-five cases of champagne were the largest items of freight by the Islander last night.

—A magnificent line of Gendron's celebrated wire wheel baby carriages just opened at John Weiler's. Also China dinner, breakfast and tea services. *

—It is reported that a young married man domiciled in a hotel, attempted his life with poison last night. The services of a doctor were necessary to safe his life.

—The Y. M. C. A. deserve credit for bringing the Mendelssohn Quintette Club to this city. It is pleasing to know that the venture was a success financially.

—The Dominion Government has declined to construct the Mud Bay Dyke, on the ground that it would reclaim Provincial lands and would not be for federal benefit.

—Major J. B. Pond, business manager of Bill Nye has telegraphed to Portland that Mr. Nye is dangerously ill, and that his proposed Pacific coast tour has been postponed.

—Charles Anderson, who robbed R. Evans, of the Nanaimo hotel, Nanaimo, on Monday night, was seen at Oyster Bay yesterday. It is expected that he will be arrested today.

—The sealing schooner Mollie Adams arrived at Neah Bay on Monday with 900 seal skins. This is the largest catch on the coast so far this season. The vessel was out two months and a half.

—A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Baptist parsonage, Wednesday afternoon when Mr. John E. Lithrop and Miss Matilda R. McCracken, both of Tacoma, were united in marriage by the Rev. M. L. Rogg.

—The young ladies and gentlemen of Esquimalt gave a dance last evening to Miss Bunting which was appreciated by her and a number of invited guests from the city. During the evening Miss Bunting was presented with a well filled purse as a token of esteem held by her young town's people.

—Mr. Gordon is pressing the Postmaster General to send the Nanaimo mails by the direct steamer service from Vancouver since a tri-weekly line has been established. And Mr. Gordon generally gets what he wants from the Government. He appears to have more influence than all the rest put together.

THE AUSTRALIAN STEAMERS.

To the Editor of the Daily Times:

Sir,—In reading the late news from Ottawa, the Victoria people will have to thank Mr. Davies for raising the question of making Victoria a point of call for vessels plying to Australia. I hardly agree with Mr. Davies when he censures the vote for such a resolution as making a calling point for such vessels, on the ground that it placed him in an awkward position. I fail to see the awkwardness of the position. Is he not sent to Ottawa to represent Victoria to the Commons? Why then shirk the question when it comes up in a direct way before the House? So, to most give way to the wishes of Sir John A. and his party, rather than maintain our rights. This is a question that has been agitating the Board of Trade for the last two or three years, and every citizen is interested in the outcome of this question. Why then should our representative feel embarrassed when the question is brought up before the House? Thanks to Mr. Davis for looking after our interests, and it is apparent that in future we will have to look to the opposition members at Ottawa for the maintenance of our rights. If Mr. Baker had been in his place in the House when this question came up for discussion, it would have given him an excellent chance to show his independence of Sir John A., but alas, he was not there, and another excellent opportunity was lost to our city in having these matters placed right. Once the line of steamers has commenced running it will be difficult for us to break any arrangements that may have been made, and now is our time to strike for our rights. The question is how long are the citizens to put up with this condition of affairs. Victoria.

Incoming Passengers.

The Walla Walla sailed from San Francisco to-day for Victoria with the following passengers: C. C. Stringer, S. Franborn, Mrs. Weigel, Miss Webster and C. Bach.

Elected Presidents.

At a meeting of the Island Railway Co. and the Union Coal Mining Co., of Comox, held in this city on Tuesday, Mr. Alex. Dunsmuir was elected president of the former, and Mr. James Dunsmuir president of the latter.

New Residence.

Mr. Fred Cerne, jr., has purchased one and a half lots, opposite the public schools, paying for the same $1500, and intends to shortly commence the erection of a handsome residence for himself and family on the newly acquired property.

Landscape Gardening.

Mr. Geo. Wilder is laying out Mr. Meconaghy's grounds at the large new residence, near Beacon Hill and promises to make it the most lovely place in the suburbs of the city. He sent in a plan for beautifying Beacon Hill which was considered very acceptable.

Sealer Arrives.

The sealing schooner Annie C. Moore arrived from the south and west coast this morning at ten o'clock. She is commanded by Capt. Hackett and her crew numbers fourteen. The catch of seals was not very large, 320 skins being the total. She will fit out here previous to going north.

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Headaches and Fevers, to cleanse the system effectively, yet gently, when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without injuring or weakening them, use Syrup of Figs.

Reward Offered.

A reward of $50 is offered for the arrest of Charlie Anders, who is implicated in the recent robbery at Nanaimo. Anders is described as a young man of twenty years, high, 5 feet 7 inches, light hair cut close, pale face and wore a white soft hat, brown overcoat and light pants. He is in big demand at present.

Gabel's Shirts.

Fine shirts, clothing and underwear made to order. Gentlemen wishing to duplicate orders and make selections of the latest fashions and designs, can do so by calling or sending postal card to 61 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C., p. o. box 734. D. J. Lavy, sole agent for British Columbia. *

Cigars Stolen.

Mr. Thos. Tagwell, of the the Colonial Hotel, Johnson street, is minus 300 cigars, which he believes were abstracted by a certain young man. On the strength of this belief a search warrant has been issued against a Yates street hostelry, where the young man was supposed to have concealed them, but they were not discovered there.

The Idaho.

The steamer Idaho, from Portland, in coming into the harbor yesterday afternoon at low tide, and taking an out of the way course, run on a sand bar. At high tide, some hours later, she floated off without sustaining any apparent damage. He freight for this port consisted of 65 tons of general merchandise. The vessel sailed at 7 o'clock this morning for Tacoma.

From Victoria.

A Chinawoman from Victoria has been arrested in Seattle and is held in custody. It appears that she attempted to enter as the wife of a Chinese merchant of this city, but by information previously received she was known to be a prostitute and the authorities accordingly took her in charge. She will be held till proof arrives from this city and then doubtless returned.

Texada Quartz.

About sixteen hundred tons of quartz have been taken from the Good Friday claim, Texada Island, says the *Courier*, for shipment to San Francisco for the purpose of reduction. It is to be hoped that the test will be as satisfactory as the owners can desire. Dr. Bredemeyer, who recently visited Texada, is convinced that the island contains excellent quartz, and will, in the near future become a great producer of the precious metals.

Sawmill Purchase.

The purchase of Rock Bay sawmill, owned by Mr. W. P. Sayward, was practically concluded by the late Mr. Dunsmuir some time before his death, and we learn the arrangements will be carried out by his successors. It is understood that the price agreed upon for the mill property and business was $75,000. The logs and lumber on hand, which are also purchased, are estimated at $50,000, but their value will be determined by inventory. The purchase does not include Mr. Sayward's timber lands, some 7,000 acres of the choicest in the province, which are valued at $20 an acre, and which are about being purchased by a syndicate of local capitalists. It is reported that Mr. Croft will assume the management of the sawmill business upon his return from England. The business is an excellent one, and under Mr. Sayward's management has been very profitable. The sale was effected by Mr. E. M. Johnson.

Ten Virgins

Probably the most extraordinary spectacle ever witnessed in New Westminster attracted the attention of hundreds Tuesday night on Columbia street. It was a representation of the ten Virgins given by the Salvation Army. First came the standard-bearer with the regimental colors, then the band, numbering half a dozen pieces, and following them, ten young women, or virgins, as they were called, dressed entirely in white gauze, a long veil falling from the head to the heels. In one hand each virgin carried a new stable lantern lighted. They marched in the form of a hollow square and at intervals gave the band a rest by singing "psalms and hymns and spiritual songs." The virgins were followed by the rank and file of the Army and those again by the rag-tag and bob-tail of the city. A great crowd gathered at the corner of Columbia and Mary streets where the procession turned off to go to the Opera House, and although the ungodly laughed and jeered at them, most people were too much astonished to say anything. It is confidently anticipated that many sinners heretofore impregnable to the gentle calls of salvation from the common soldiery, will yield them gratefully before the irresistible charms of the ten virgins.—*Cor. News-Advertiser.*

The Quintette Club.

A large and critical, and withal, fashionable audience, assembled in the Victoria last night to hear the Mendelssohn Quintette Club. It is needless to say that all who went to hear a cultured musical performance were gratified. At the end of each number the building rang again and again with applause. The first number on the programme, a quintette in E flat, was a happy thought of the concert master, for it at once won the hearts of the audience. Aria from "Le Fiemenza de Tito," by Miss Alice Ryan, was nicely given. Miss Ryan's voice lacks sympathetic quality, but is so well trained and perfect in range and volume that the defect is not noticeable to the ordinary ear. A greater master of the violincello than Herr Hunking has not visited the city; his execution was splendid. The same may be said of Mr. Ryan's performance on the clarionette. The violin solo by Herr Obliger appeared to have lost none of its effect on the audience from the fact that they had recently heard as great a master of the instrument as Prof. Heinz. He is undoubted a most promising young artist. The whole performance was of a superior kind and it spoke well for the taste of a Victoria audience that it was appreciated so well. The Mendelssohn Club were brought here under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

ALDERMANIC BOARD.

Communications—Reports—Tenders for Johnson Street Sewer.

The regular weekly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last night. Present, Alds. Vigelius, Styles, Wilson, Goodsera, McKillican, Harrison, Coughlan and Harris.

Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

MR. PICKERING'S LETTERS.

Mayor Grant stated that he had noticed in the newspapers articles commenting upon the conduct of the Mayor in withholding certain letters from Mr. Pickering. The publishers of the newspapers should not have taken outside evidence in this matter. He had never received any letters from Mr. Pickering, even those marked private and confidential, that contained any proposition other than those made to the Council. There are some of the letters on file in the archives of the corporation that were received from Mr. Pickering, which were explained by members of the Council since last meeting, which up to that time perhaps they knew nothing of but which contain no new matter other than has been in possession of the Council since 1886. He could not find any letter containing a proposition of the character hinted at in the newspapers. The most definite proposition made by Mr. Pickering was to act as superintendent of the work over the contractors, or to superintend the work if carried on by days work, giving contracts in a small way as the work proceeded. He denied ever suppressing any information that should have been laid before the Board, and remarked that the members of last year's Council could bear him out in saying that he had always done all in his power to facilitate the progress of the work. He had reported to the Council of last year the telegram that he had received from Mr. Pickering as well as the letters that had come into his possession through Mr. Robinson, late clerk, and he would say that they did not contain anything new. If any outside party had received information of the character hinted at in the press they should have laid it before the Board. The newspapers should have come to the Council for definite information before attempting to injure a man's character by publishing to the world unjust comments such as he had referred to.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From M. Lowey, asking for the position of caretaker of Beacon Hill Park. Laid on the table.

From Geo. F. White, asking to be permitted to use a portion of Pioneer street for building purposes. Granted, subject to the usual conditions.

His Worship asked that the Street Committee take notice that the by-law is carried out in regard to the use of streets by contractors.

From Long Chung & Co., asking for a reduction of water rates. Referred to Water Committee and Commissioner.

From Charles Ireland, again calling attention to a street fenced in by private parties.

Ald Harrison said that this was one of the streets which was not taken over by the Council. The aldermen was asked to look at the street in question which was in a filthy condition and was a menace to property owners in the locality. The street was registered under the by-law of 1887. It was a hardship to the people who are entitled to some consideration. There is a large pool on the street which is most obnoxious. The Board should take this street over and drain it.

Ald Kelly said he considered that the people residing on the street were not too poor to give the requisite land to make the street the proper width.

Ald. McKillican considered that the Council should look after the health of the people in the locality. The street was registered and although under the required width, it was the duty of the Council to take over this street and it was their duty to have sanitary work done on other streets.

His Worship said he was across the Bay with Aldermen Harrison and noticed that there was a large pool of water which might cause illness. The people are not responsible for the width of the street, which cannot be considered private property. The street was registered and a legal opinion should be taken on the subject.

Ald. Harrison said he understood that the streets would be taken over should the loan by-law pass. A majority of the Council stated that streets under 60 feet in width would be taken over when the Council was in a position to improve them. The sewerage from a school in the locality and from residences on Superior street is drained into a swamp a few hundred yards from the school house. The health of the children in the locality and a large number of ratepayers should be considered, as well as doing justice to those persons who reside across James Bay and in other localities where the streets are not of the required width.

Ald. Vigelius was in favor of doing justice to residents in the locality. If the people are suffering unjustly the sooner their grievances are attended to the better.

Ald. Coughlan said he was not a party to any agreement regarding the taking over of certain streets under the required width, contrary to a by-law passed by the Council.

Ald Styles considered that it would be out of place to sit still and allow it to go out that he was a party to an agreement to hold a whip over the heads of the people. He made no promises to take over streets and was not a member of any combination to take over streets.

Ald. Wilson said he knew nothing about caucuses, but considered that the Council should proceed with the business before them. The communication was referred to the City Barristers.

From Henry A. Creswell, thanking the Council for accepting his plan for beautifying Beacon Hill Park. Received and filed.

From W. J. McAuley, asking for street lines. Request granted.

From E. E. Berrow, asking for the position of superintendent of Beacon Hill Park. Laid on the table.

From Eberts & Taylor, City Barristers, enclosing Loan By-law and Tramway By-law. Received and filed.

From John Tway and other ratepayers on Pembroke street, asking the "Common" Council to improve said street. Referred to Street Committee.

From Capt. John Irving, asking that a police officer be sent to Spratt's wharf on the dates when the steamer Sardonyx sails for the north, viz., on the 1st and 15th of each month. The writer stated that a disturbance occurred on the wharf on Wednesday afternoon. Referred to Police Committee and Superintendent of Police with power to act.

His Worship reported that a telegram was sent by Ald. Harrison to Mr Chipman, requesting that gentleman to state the amount he would require to visit this city and report on the various schemes to construct a sewer on Johnson street. An answer was received which stated that Mr. Chipman would visit this city and report for the sum of $450.

Ald. Harrison said there was a deadlock regarding the schemes The speaker sent a telegram to Mr. Chipman, and that gentleman, one of the best sanitary engineers in the Dominion, is anxious to visit this coast. He promises to come and expects only his expenses. Some people, a few indeed, are in favor of the Pickering plans, which are very antiquated. Mr. Chipman would hand in a report which would most likely be acceptable to all parties.

Ald. Vigelius said the ratepayers voted a sum for constructing a sewer on Johnson street. The Supreme Court issued an injunction that the work should be gone on with at once. He was in favor of opening the tenders and carrying on the work.

Ald. Harris said he wished to know whether the contract would be awarded provided the tenders exceed the sum set aside for that purpose. He did not examine the plans and did not wish to vote blindly on the matter.

Ald. Harrison said Ald. Harris was very indifferent if he did not examine the plans and specifications.

Ald. Harris said he was not in the Council to give a professional opinion on the plans and specifications. Corporation officials were paid to draw up proper plans and specifications. The Aldermen said he did not wish to vote blindly on the question.

A motion by Ald. Vigelius, seconded by Ald. Wilson, to open the tenders, was carried.

Tenders were opened and read from H. F. Keefer, who enclosed a cheque for $1,700, as an approximate of the amount of deposite required; Holland & Co., with no cheque enclosed; offering to do the work with Ordel Pipe for $30,000, rock work $3 per yard extra; Peter McConnan, enclosing cheque for $1,000, and from H. H. McDonald, offering to do the work for $30,000.

On motion the tenders were referred to the Sewerage and Sanitary Committees and the City Engineer, to report to the Council on Monday evening next at a special meeting.

Ald. Wilson considered that the Committees should report as soon as possible. It was a hardship to retain cheques belonging to a number of contractors.

The Committee decided to meet tomorrow afternoon and will report at a special meeting to be held next Monday evening.

His Worship stated that the Tramway By-Law was not published on account of the date on which the Council decided to hold the voting.

The by-law in reference to the National Electric Tramway Company having been slightly amended, the Council went into committee of the whole upon it, in conjunction with the $45,000 Loan By-law.

Ald. McKillican's Fence By-law was read a second time.

Ald. Vigelius said he did not think it would be advisable to make the penalty in the by-law very low and keep on summoning people. The fine for infracting the Building By-law should be heavy for the first offence.

A report from the Health Officer, Dr. G. L. Milne, was read and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Ald. Wilson said he hoped the Council would put a stop to placing wooden drains in the streets. It is a waste of money to dig up the streets every year to place wooden drains beneath the streets instead of either tile or brick drains. He considered it a disgrace to tear up the streets to place such drains throughout the city.

The clerk proceeded to read his report on the qualifications of Aldermen, when he was interrupted by Ald. Wilson, who stated that he would like to see every Alderman in his place when the report was read. The Alderman who introduced the motion was not present and it would be proper to lay the matter over until next week, which was done on motion of Ald. Wilson.

The Sanitary officer's report was referred to the Sanitary Committee.

His Worship reported that an injunction was served at the instance of parties owning property near Rose Bay. The documents were handed to the legal advisers.

Ald. Vigelius moved, seconded by Ald. Harrison, that the action of the Mayor be endorsed and the legal advisers be instructed to contest the matter in the Supreme Court.

Ald. Wilson said one of the contractors wished to withdraw his tender for Johnson street sewer.

Ald. Vigelius moved, seconded by Ald. McKillican, that Peter McCubbin be permitted to withdraw his cheque. Carried.

Mr. McConan said he handed in his cheque for $1000 and a tender three weeks ago. He came down from Vancouver three times and could not afford to wait until the Board intended to go on with the work.

The Mayor was authorized to accept the offer made by Mr. Chipman to visit Victoria and report on sewerage matters.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL.

San Francisco's British Residents Backward.

It is now two years since the Queen's Jubilee was celebrated in San Francisco by the British residents. It was decided by the committee who had that event in charge that something permanent should be established to keep the memory of the event alive. After long deliberation a hospital was fixed upon as being the most desirable monument, and subscriptions were asked for that purpose. This, with the proceeds of the jubilee fete, placed a sum of $5000 in the hands of the committee. This is now on deposit in a bank and has lain there without any efforts being made to erect the building. President Balfour on behalf of the board, has therefore issued the following address: It has long been a reproach to the residents of this State who are of British birth or parentage that, while other residents of foreign birth have been moved by national pride and sympathy for their suffering or distressed compatriots to establish institutions specially designed to afford relief, we of British birth—who yield to no living race in national pride, who have furnished the model upon which is founded, in great measure, the jurisprudence and general plan of government of this greatest of republics, whose language has become the dominant tongue over a greater portion of the world's surface than any other which does now or ever did exist, whose commerce has penetrated to every spot upon the face of the earth which is known to man, who have rescued from barbarism some of the fairest portions of the globe, and are still to be found pursuing that laudable object, who plume ourselves upon being foremost in every good work and in everything that has for its object the advancement of the general welfare of mankind—are yet without any institution of this character in this State. We trust that this state of affairs will not be suffered to continue much longer. Inasmuch as the annual subscription is so much less than that of other similar societies—the German Benevolent Association has about 2000 members, who pay $12 each per annum—there ought to be no difficulty in our rolling up a much larger membership within a year or two. In conclusion we desire that it may be borne in mind that this is not an English, or Irish, or Scotch, or Welsh, or Indian, or Canadian, or Australian, or Colonial institution, but an essentially British Association, and we respectfully urge all who may be eligible for membership to take the earliest opportunity of becoming members and to give their moral and material support towards so deserving an object.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.)

Rosa Howard, charged with keeping a house of ill-fame, pleaded guilty and was fined $25, which Rosa went out and obtained and paid.

Birdie Jones, a friend of Rosa Howard, paid a fine of $10 for keeping a house of ill-fame.

Lawrence Mooney was charged with housebreaking and felony. The accused broke into a cabin on Humboldt street and carried away some bed clothes. Case remanded till to-morrow.

The Captain White Case.

Captain Frank White, late of the steamer Premier, was in chief officer on the steamer Lobby for Whatcom on Tuesday. He declined to make any statement for publication. From other sources it is learned that White should be responsible for taking the $10,000 attributed to him. White says he will not be prosecuted, and goes about his business publicly.

A dastardly attempt at assassination was made in Tuscarora, Nev., upon Supt. Price of the Belle Isle Mining Co., and Geo. W. Peltier, Price's partner, in a general store about 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning by exploding dynamite under their bedrooms. Both were badly shaken up.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Mrs. W J. Pendray will leave on a visit to England next week. Miss Jeffree, youngest daughter of Mrs. W. J. Jeffree, will accompany Mrs. Pendray, to attend a young ladies' college.

Mr. H. Cowan and T. W. Patterson left for Nanaimo this morning.

J. S. Bennet, Kamloops; F. A. Brown, Harrison Springs, and T. J. McIntosh, Toronto, are at the Clarence.

W. E. Osterhout, of Nanaimo, returned from the Sound last evening and is at the Driard.

James Abrams, of Nanaimo, and A. W. Smith, of Cache Creek, are at the Oriental.

J. Campbell, of Cache Creek, is in the city.

Miss Lizzie Barron and J. Montague Leet came down on to-day's train from Nanaimo.

Mrs. Carne will leave in a few days for a visit to England.

Mr. J. Wenger starts to-morrow for Switzerland, and will be absent several months.

E. C. Baker, M. P., returned from the mainland last night. Mrs. Baker and Miss Johnson are *en route* to Ottawa and England.

Mr. Alexander, of the H. B. Co., Quesnelle, who is now in the city, reports a very mild winter at that place. Not over six inches of snow fell.

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Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Neil McGarry, Chas W Scudder, Master M Scudder, Alicia M Scudder, J Bilbington, R H Goodall, J Clemenson, J Bagley, A B Campbell, R W Beatty, Mr and Mrs Greig, Thos Greig, C Gilpin Brown, E E Hale, Mrs Hale, Louis Odin, C J Bim, Phil H Smith, Jos Beck, G Carbeck, A Hughes, J S Bennett, G E Gibbons, G E Earthquake, C T Miller, D McFarland, Theo Davies, Mrs J C Haynes, Mrs McCollum, T W Haynes, John Coughlan, J Campbell, E C Baker, M P, Mr Huxtall, A W Smith, Mrs McMillan, Miss McMillan, Miss Norton, J H Alexander, Officer Wingrove, Capt J Ramsay, Fred Boyes, J Hendrickson, R Wolfenden, E Everett, J S Bennett, W Ayer, S J McIntosh, Mrs McKnown.

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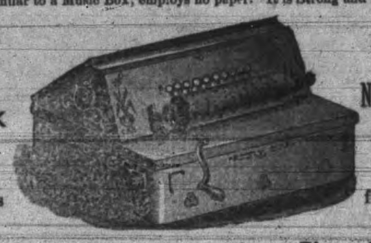

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